POTATOES						
Delhi	4.50	2.00	4.00	2.50	4.00	1.75
Kanpur	3.50	1.50	3.50	2.00	3.00	1.00
Bhubaneshwar	3.00	3.00	3.40	3.50	2.40	1.60
Hyderabad	8.00	4.50	4.10	4.00	4.00	2.50
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Delhi	4.	3.00	4.00	7.00	3.75	2.60
Kanpur	2.50	2.50	3.20	6.50	3.00	1.50
Bhubaneshwar	4.00	3.00	4.00	8.00	3.60	2.20
Hyderabad	3.00	2.00	3.00	7.50	2.50	2.00
SALT (PACKED)						
Delhi	3.00	2.50	2.50	2.00	2.00	2.00
Bombay;	3.00	2.50	2.50	2.00	2.00	2.00
Bhubaneshwar	2.50	2.50	2.00	2.00	2.20	1.00
Madras	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.20	2.20	0.70

Source: State Civil Supplies Departments
*Loose

Applicability of Consumer Protection Act on doctors

753. DR. BAPU KALDATE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state·

(a) whether it is a fact that Indian Medical Association has represented to Government that the doors be excluded from the purview of Consumer Protection Act;

(b) whether it is also a fcat that a delegation of the doctors led by the IMA General Secretary had met the Prime Minister who had advised them to get the matter re-examined;

(c) whether this matter has been re-examined; and

(d) if so, the results thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A delegation of Indian Medical Association from Kerala had met the Prime Minister;

(c) and (d) In a recent judgement in the matter of M/s. Cosmopolitan Hospitals Vs. Smt. Vasantha P. Nair, the National Consumer Disputes Redrossal Commission has held that all the services including those provided by the medical professionals, which have been hired for a consideration are covered under the Consumer Protection Act. Government does not propose to interfere in the said decision of the National Commission.